

Handwritten: \$12,403
6/B



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Shelton Louie et al.

Art Unit: 3627
Conf. No. 5706

***PRESCRIPTION ORDER POSITION
TRACKING SYSTEM AND METHOD***

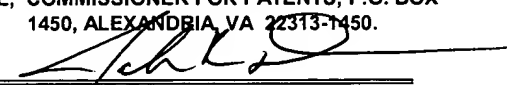
Application No: 09/715,439

Filed: November 16, 2000

Examiner: Jaketic, Bryan J.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER AND THE
DOCUMENTS REFERRED TO AS BEING
ATTACHED OR ENCLOSED HERewith ARE BEING
DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL
SERVICE ON JULY 15, 2003 AS FIRST CLASS MAIL
IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: MAIL STOP
RCE, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX
1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450.


John R. Dawson
Attorney for Applicant

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington D.C. 20231

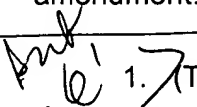
RECEIVED
JUL 23 2003
GROUP 3600

AMENDMENT

In reply to the final Office Action dated May 15, 2003, applicants hereby
amend their application as follows:

In the Claims

Claims 1, 9, 18, 24-26, and 43 have been rewritten herein. New claims 44-51
have been added. A complete set of claims, as amended, is provided below. A
redlined version of the amended claims is attached as Attachment A to this
amendment.


1. (Twice Amended) A method for tracking prescription orders through a
pharmacy having a plurality of physically spaced apart locations for filling the
prescription order, the plurality of spaced apart locations positioned along a workflow
stream leading to a will call storage area for storing filled prescription orders therein,
said method including the following steps:

receiving a prescription order at a first location upstream of the will call storage
area;

tagging the prescription order with a remote tag that stays with the prescription
order;

associating the remote tag with customer information associated with the
prescription order upstream of the will call storage area;